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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION,

v.

No. 08-01789 (CGM)

Plaintiff-Applicant,

SIPA LIQUIDATION

BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT

SECURITIES LLC,

(Substantively Consolidated)

Defendant.

In re:

BERNARD L. MADOFF,

Debtor.

IRVING H. PICARD, Trustee for the Substantively Consolidated SIPA Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC and the Chapter 7 Estate of Bernard L. Madoff,

Adv. Pro. No. 10-04986 (CGM)

Plaintiff,

v.

SHARON KNEE,

Defendant.

STIPULATION AND ORDER FOR VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL OF ADVERSARY PROCEEDING WITHOUT PREJUDICE

Irving H. Picard (the "Trustee"), as trustee for the liquidation of the business of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC under the Securities Investor Protection Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 78aaa, et seq., and the substantively consolidated estate of Bernard L. Madoff individually, by

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and through his counsel, Baker & Hostetler LLP, and Sharon Knee ("Defendant") by and through her counsel, Michael Cassell of Hogan & Cassell LLP (collectively, the "Parties"), hereby stipulate and agree to the following:

- 1. On December 2, 2010, the Trustee filed and served the Complaint against the Defendant.
 - 2. On July 2, 2012, Defendant served an answer to the Complaint.
- 3. On July 17, 2012, the Trustee filed and served an Amended Complaint against the Defendant.
- 4. On September 26, 2012, the Defendant served an answer to the Amended Complaint.
 - 5. On August 24, 2022, the Trustee filed his Motion for Summary Judgment.
- 6. On October 7, 2022, this Court entered a Stipulation and Order Adjourning Deadlines for Trustee's Motion for Summary Judgment adjourning the deadlines related to the Motion for Summary Judgment *sine die* to allow the Parties to complete the tentative settlement reached in this matter.
- 7. On October 19, 2022, the Parties entered into a settlement agreement pursuant to the Settlement Procedures Order, entered by this Court on November 12, 2010 [Dkt. No. 3181].
- 8. In accordance with Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 7041(a)(1)(ii), and Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1), the Parties hereby stipulate to a dismissal without prejudice of the Trustee's claims against Defendant in the above-captioned adversary proceeding, and dismissal of the adversary proceeding, subject to the right to re-open the Adversary Proceeding for any uncured default of Defendant under the terms of the settlement agreement.
- 9. The provisions of this Stipulation shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the Parties and their respective successors and assigns and upon all creditors and parties of interest.

10. This Stipulation may be signed by the Parties in any number of counterparts, each of which when so signed shall be an original, but all of which shall together constitute one and the same instrument. A signed facsimile, photostatic, or electronic copy of this Stipulation shall be deemed an original.

Dated: October 21, 2022

New York, New York

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SO ORDERED.

Dated: October 21, 2022 Poughkeepsie, New York



/s/ Cecelia G. Morris

Hon. Cecelia G. Morris U.S. Bankruptcy Judge